

**MAYOR’S PROCLAMATION
DECLARING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2024 AS
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH
IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE**

WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month is observed every October to highlight the pervasive issue of domestic violence which affects individuals of all ages, races and socioeconomic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence not only causes physical harm but also impacts the emotional and mental well- being of survivors, disrupting families and communities; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness about domestic violence helps to educate the public, reduce stigma, and encourage individuals to seek help and support those in need; and

WHEREAS, local organizations and advocates work tirelessly to provide resources, shelter, and assistance to survivors, as well as educate and engage communities in prevention efforts; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial for every individual to understand the signs of domestic violence and to foster a culture of support, empathy, and action; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the importance of working together to end domestic violence and to promote safety, justice and healing for all affected individuals; and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Victor Gonzales, Mayor of the City of Pflugerville, Texas, do hereby proclaim October 2024 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month in the City of Pflugerville.

In Witness Whereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 24th day of September, 2024.

Victor Gonzales, Mayor

Attest:

Trista Evans, City Secretary